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SILVERITE MOB TACTICS. to be at such close range that people threw ANOTHER MEETING BROKEN UP

BY CHICAGO HOODLUMS. A Beporter Badly Beaten in a Salcon-Attempt to Break Up Candidate Forman's Meetlugs-Violence Reported from Ont

of Town-Systematic Disorder Planned. CHICAGO, Oct. 28.-A Republican meeting was broken up by Popocratic hoodlums last night at Union Hall, formerly known as Curran's Hall, on Blue Island avenue. Frank Collier, a lawyer, who was once a Democrat, a member of the Board of Education, but who has been in four insane asylums, headed the 200 yelling and hooting ruffians who invaded the place, and after a scene of disorder which almost developed into riot the Chairman, James J. Banks, adjourned the meeting and the lights were turned out.

The Eighth ward Republicans were holding the meeting, which was large and enthusi-astic, having for the speakers of the evening D. W. Mills, J. W. Jones, and J. H. O'Donnell, The place of meeting was just above the head-quarters of the Eighth ward Popocratic Club, where a meeting was also held. The syccessful character of the Republican meeting appears to have angered the Popecrats, and at the conclusion of their meeting they congregated in the street just below, and under the direction of Collier began a systematic attack by howling and blowing horns to break up the Republican meeting.

For several minutes they kept up a terrific din, but as this failed of its purpose more aggressive measures were decided upon, and Collier, followed by the crowd, shouting and blowing horns, entered the hall. As they came in the Republicans rose to their feet, and there was every prespect of trouble. Chairs were everturned, and the Republicans, thoroughly aroused at the onslaught, started toward the invaders, and only the counsel of cool heads prevented trouble.

Between the shouting and horn blowing there were calls for a speech from Collier by his followers, and he was evidently disposed to make a harangue, but, seeing that trouble was inevitable unless an adjournment was had, the Chairman declared the meeting closed. He also urged the Republicans to quietly disperse without having a row-advice which was finally acted upon.

The lights were then turned out and the crowd within dispersed, the Popocrats con-tinuing their clamor out into the street.

David McGowan, a reporter for the Tribune, was brutally assaulted last evening while working on the story of Bryan's arrival in town. His assailants were P. J. Murray, a member of the Cook County Democratic Marching Club, who keeps a saloon at 6,559 Sherman streit; M. G. Walsh, 4,724 Raisted street, and a gang of free-silver rowdies, whose identity has not yet been discovered. McGowan was endeavoring to find out who threw the egg yesterday which struck Sol Van Praag. A policeman told him there was a man in a saloon around the corner who wanted to see him. He went to the saloon at Michigan avenue and Monroe street, and questioned Murray, Walsh selzed him, and both he and Murray attacked the reporter, throwing him to the floor. Then they kicked him savagely in the face. Mc-Gowan's injuries, which consist of a badly sprained ligament of the right hand, a bad discoloration of one eye, a deep cut above the eye, apparently done with the heel of a boot, and a slight cut on the inside of the cheek, where a powerful blow caused the fiesh to tear, were

W. S. Forman, sound-money Democratic candidate for Governor, was hooted and hissed at by a gang of silverites during an address at Turner Social Hall last night. He won a signal triumph, however, for the mob that came to deride him remained to listen, and he made many converts to sound money.

dressed by a doctor.

At the Forman meeting last night in Mueller's Hall, Sedgwick street and North avenue, silverites packed the galleries with the intention of breaking up the gathering. They nearly accomplished their end, when the most troublesome of the leaders were forced to leave the hall by the squad of policemen on duty. eference by Speaker Henry Rasb to the American flag which floats from American vessels in foreign waters was greeted with prolonged hisses by the silver sympathizers in the gallery. Mr. Forman, who spoke last, was comparatively free from interruption. During all the time preceding his arrival in the hall the Bryan shouters kept up a disturbance. Hisses greeted every telling remark of the orators, and frequently Henry Raab, Lynden Evans, and Sigmund Zeisler, the speakers, were compelled to retire until order was temporarily restored. When the outburst reached its height the audience below rose in a body and shouted defiance at the gallery, which responded with threats of violence.

Popocrats in other cities and towns are adopting the Kentucky Chicago Bryanite methods. Atelegram from Assumption Ill., says that last night excitement ran high, caused by the throwing of stones and other missiles at the Republicans while on parade. Several men were struck and badly hurt. Talk was current on the streets all day that the Bryanites were preparing to stone or egg the Republican parade in the evening. Not much attention was paid to the talk, but as the parade passed a dark place there came upon it a shower of stones and other missiles. The marchers broke ranks and made a rush in the direction whence the stones came, but the hoodiums escaped. After proceeding again the marshal, John Salmon, who led the procession on horseback, noticed George Osborne in the act of throwing a stone. Salmon jumped off his horse and handcuffed him before he could escape. In a moment big gang of Bryanites surrounded him, but he fought them off, and succeeded in landing his prisoner in jail.

MOUNTAIN POLITICAL RIOTING. A Wild Time at a Meeting Where the Hat-field-McCoy Peud Once Raged.

BREEDEN, W. Va., Oct. 28.—This town was the scene last evening of a political riot and disorder exceeded in violence only by the Hatfield-McCoy troubles years ago, Breeden is situated near Tug River, on the line between Kentucky and West Virginia, and is noted for its many murders. Last night a big political meeting was to have taken place, and addresses were to have been made by the various candidaces of the county on both Republican and Popocratio tickets. Early in the evening the clans began to gather, and the natives began imbibing freely of moonshine whiskey and "pawpaw" brandy which is distilled in the mountains of West Virginia and Kentucky near here.

It soon became evident that a riot would ocour. Women as well as men were drinking, and all seemed to have come well armed, many carrying rifles. Fight after fight had taken place before the speaking began. Boon, however, the orators assembled on a platform within five hundred yards of a log cabin surrounded by a stockade which a few years ago was the home of "Devil" Anse Hatfield, who obtained a world-wide reputation on account of his des-

J. L. Stifferd, a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney, was the first to make an address. During his speech at least a hundred shots were fired from rifles on the outskirts of the big crowd. The bullets were sent in at random, seemingly as a challenge for any of the opposition to engage in battle. At the conclusion of Stifferd's speech Isaac Brewer mounted the platform and an instant later all was confusion and Brewer was knocked senseless to the ground. The battie was then on in earnest, but fighting seemed | oils. POPOCRATIC FOOL TALK.

A few minutes later the speakers' platform HOPES INFLATED BY WIND WITHwas vacated save by one woman, whose name OUT FACTS OR FIGURES. was Cynthiana Vance. She was clad in a called

dress with a belt about her person filled with

Winchester cartridges. On one arm she held a

rifle while in her other hand she was waving a

revolver, defying any one to step upon the plat-

the effect of removing her to the ground below. She was then stabbed and cannot recover.

form. Finally a large boulder well aimed had

After the pattle was over people departed

for their homes, many being injured more

or less. The names of those dangerously in-

jured are Lydia Maynard, Sarah Browning, Ira

Goodall, Charles Topping, and the Vance wom-

an. Mrs. Maynard was cut several times and

the Browning woman was beaten into insensi-

bility with a club. Goodail was shot in the ab-

others are still lurking in this region defying

arrest. None of the candidates of either party

SENATOR CAFFERY INSULTED.

Howled Down and Jeered by Brynn Hood

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 28 .- Chairman of the In-

lianapolis Convention Senator Don Caffery and

E. H. Farrar, who spoke at Lake Charles in the

interest of Palmer and Buckner last night, re-

port they were roughly treated by the support

ers of Bryan in that town. When Senator Caf-

fery spoke he was constantly interrupted by an

organized gang of rowdies and hoodlums, led by

an 18-year-old boy, until Mr. Caffery was com-

pelled to desist. The Chairman endeavored to

have the hoodlums arrested, but the police

refused to do anything, whereupon the mob

After several more attempts on the part of

Mr. Caffery to speak, Chester Brown, a Repub-

lican appealed to the audience not to disgrace

Lake Charles like Covington, and he was backed

by enough men to assure order. The mob then

left the Court House and held an opposition

They waited there until Senator Caffery left

the Court House, when they formed in double

line, and as he passed out jeered and yelled at

him, blackguarding the Senator and threaten-

the hotel, howling and shouting at him. A

similar scene followed on the Senator's way to

the railroad station, and the proprietor of the

They Are Boys and Were Released at Mr.

Bryan's Request.

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.-The effort made by Popo-

cratic leaders to show that the egg-throwing episode during the Bryan parade through the

streets yesterday afternoon was "inspired by Hanna" has fallen flat. There was not a man of

sound judgment in either political party who

believed that any Republican meditated an at-

tack upon the Popocratic candidate, and the

Some eggs were hurled from a schoolroo

window by an immature and brainless boy, who

in the egg-throwing episode. They are Chaur

and Fay, who were working on the case. Th

local politician and saloon keeper, and smeared

DEAR MR. GAHAN: I wish you would ask for

the release of the boys arrested for throwing the

eggs. I am sure it was an act of thoughtless

ness, and their arrest has doubtless been a suffi-

cient lesson to them and to others. Yours truly.

This morning Principal O. M. Powers of the

Metropolitan Business College sent out the fol-

"It is reported to me that while the proces

sion escorting Mr. Bryan was passing the build-

ing yesterday an improper demonstration was

made by the hurling of missiles from the top of

the building or upper floors. At the time of the

occurrence the writer was on one of the lower

floors, the upper steries being occupied by about

seven hundred students. Not suspecting that

anything of the kind would take place, I had

not deemed it neces-ary to exercise any special

surveillance over the students of this college,

and the object of this letter is to express my

mortification and regret at this unseemly occur

rence. While I am politically opposed to Mr.

Bryan and the party he represents, I believe he

should be treated with respect, and I desire to

apologize for an act which can only be attrib-

To the egg-throwing and the trouble result-

ing both Mr. and Mrs. Bryan had been obliv-

ious. The procession continued on its way with-

out stopping, and it was not until late last eve-

ning that the Democratic candidate was notified

of what had occurred. Chairman Hanna, when

told of the incident, expressed regret and the

hope that the perpetrators of the deed would be

On the strength of the plea for their release.

sent by Mr. Bryan, the police to-night released

Foster and Hanchett from custody with a warn

ing not to offend again, and the young men were

Foster admitted to the detectives that he

bought a dozen fresh eggs to throw at the pro-

ession when the Bryan carriage passed the

business college building. Half of the eggs were

thrown before the youths took fright and ran

Mr. Powers, the proprietor of the school, an-

nounced to-night that he would assemble all

the instructors and pupils to-morrow at noon

and publicly dismiss the egg throwers in dis

grace from the institution, after making a few

THE FEELING IN CHICAGO.

Chairman Hanna Says He Feared & Col-

liston There on Tuesday.

Chairman Hanna told yesterday over the

long-distance telephone which connects the Re-

publican National Committee in this city with

the headquarters in Chicago how the members

of the committee were on tenter hooks all day

Tuesday for fear there would be some outbreak in

the crowds of Altgeld's "angels" who gathered

Chicago in connection with Bryan's advent, and

to welcome and escort him about the city.

Mr. Hanna said that every precau-

tion was taken to keep Republicans from

gathering so as to afford the other

was not, however, until all the Bryan spouting

This communication from the Chairman of

of feeling which exists in the Western metrop-

remarks vigorously denouncing the offence and

uted to the thoughtlessness of youth."

captured and punished.

from the room.

breathed freely.

taken home by their fathers.

AUDITORIUM HOTEL.

" CHICAGO, Oct. 28, 1896.

Committeeman, written by Mr. Bryan:

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County Democratic Marching Club.

ing to egg him. They followed his carriage to

lums in Lake Charles, La.

domen and Topping in the neck.

engaged in the fight.

applauded.

meeting in front of it.

facts are simply these:

And All Groon Bryanttes Pin Their Faith to Campan's Rainbows-Montana May Go Republican-Welcott's Grand Fight in Celorado-The Good Work in Missouri,

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 28.-The Popocratio campaign managers throughout the country have been so misled and intoxicated by the absurd statements sent out from Chicago headquarters and signed by Chairman Campau of the Executive Committee that it is difficult if not impossible to extract any information from them. They look wise when asked for a statement of the situation from the Popocratio standpoint, and reply with a loud laugh and a toss of the head.

Many of the people who participated in the affair have crossed over into Kentucky, while "Why, my boy, there is at this stage of the game only one side to the question. The people have taken this matter into their own hands and the feeling in favor of Bryan is running so overwhelmingly strong that further campaigning is unnecessary. His speech-making has been worth many thousands of votes in each State through which he passed, and he will be elected by a majority so great that it will take until

> This sort of fool talk is particularly characteristic of the so-called managers of the Popocratic campaign in the States west of the Mississippi River, and, absurd as it may seem, it is nevertheless a fact that Campau's ante-election blasts, such as that published this morning, claiming everything in sight, including New York, are actually believed to be true by those greenhorn politicians in the West who, have come into existence during the past few months in the rank soil of Bryanism. THE SUN correspondent has come into contact with loose-jawed fanatics in nearly every State between the Mississippi River and the Pacific Ocean and the creed is the same everywhere. They have made no poll of their States worthy of the name, and have little or no knowledge of the political history of the States or counties about which they talk. They don't know what scientific political organization means, and they are depending altogether upon the "free-liver wave" and the hatred of the "tolling masses" for the "plutocrats" to roll up the surpassing Bryan majorities of which they talk with so much confidence. When asked where all those hundreds of thousands of Bryanites have concealed themselves that they cannot be seen of man, the fanatics reply:

hotel was compelled to interfere to protect the "Oh, they are in the backwoods, in the mountains, and in the mines, where they cannot be CHICAGO EGG-THROWERSARRESTED reached by the emissaries of Hanna and Wall street; but they will come out of their hiding places on election day, and vote for the candi-

date of the people.' When asked about the labor vote of the cities. which! the Republican managers rely upon to support McKinley, whom they have always supported, the Bryanites give the same old answer: "The laboring men are purposely fooling the sound-money managers; they are wearing sound-money buttons and marching in the sound-money parades, but they are doing this to hide the truth from their employers to save their jobs, and they will vote for Bryan, who is to make better times for them."

could not have known how serious would be the This is all the information that can be obresult had his missiles struck either Mr. or Mrs. Bryan. Neither Mr. Bryan nor his wife was of sweeping majorities in each State of as many within fifty feet of the spot where the egg housands as happen to come into their heads. struck, and neither knew anything of the epi-It is undoubtedly true that in the essentially sode until several hours later. Finally, the eggs diver States in the West, States where sliver were not intended for either Mr. or Mrs. Bryan, mining has been the chief occupation of the but were thrown into the ranks of the Cook people and the sole source of wealth, the Popocrats will win easy and bloodless victories. But Two youths were arrested for participating in these States whose delegates so dramatically walked out of the St. Louis Convention cey Foster and L. J. Hanchett, both students in because the party platform declared against the Metropolitan Business College. They were free coinage there are indications that the arrested about noon by Detectives McCaffrey anti-Bryan vote will be of such proportions as to open the eyes and astonish the Bryan two boys are the sons of well-to-do south-side fanatics as well as the people of the East, who families. One egg struck Sol Van Prang, a have generally conceded the Popograts everything in the silver-producing States. There are noreover many indications discoverable under Superintendent of Police Badenoch gave out the surface going to show that it is quite within for publication the following letter received by him from Thomas Gahan, the Popocratic County the range of possibility that at least one of the States, represented by a St. Louis Convention bolter, may actually declare in favor of the Republican party.

This State is Montana. Their delegates did not, it is true, join the Teller procession in its march out of the Convention hall, but the funior United States Senator, Lee Mantle, in a speech to the Convention, wiped his tect, metaphorically speaking on the Republican platform. Tom Carter, the other Senator, who had for six months been threatening to take leave of the party, contented himself with stroking his billy-goat whiskers and holding his tongu-Little has been heard from him since, and it is not at all unlikely that the ellence of this astut politician is due in a large measure to his knowl edge of the actual condition of things and hi desire not to be found outside the breastworks on election day, as other good men before him have been found.

According to those who understand the situa ion in Montana there is every reason to believe that the free-silver men will be badly disappointed on election day. If the vote of the State shall be cast against the Popocrats it will be iue not to the free-silver issue, for a majority of the voters in Montana undoubtedly favor free coinage, but to the determination of th influential men in the State of all parties that the doctrines of the Chicago platform must be stamped out in order to save the honor and commercial prosperity of the State.

Little has been heard about Montana politics during this campaign, but the assertion that in fluences are at work there to save it from Bryanism is based on a knowledge of the facts. As much as this cannot be said for Utah, Nevada, Colorado, and Idaho, all of them essentially silver-producing States, and, indeed, there is no eason to suppose that any of them will withhold its electoral vote from the Popocrats. But the state of things in Colorado, the banner silver State of them all, and which claims the onor of being the State of Senator Henry M. Teller, the ablest champion of free-silver coinage in this or probably any other country, shows how the cause of sound money and national integrity can find root even in the centre of the

silver-producing section. When early in the summer the junior Senator from Colorado, Mr. Wolcott, announced his purpose to remain true to the Republican party. no matter what the action of the Chicago Cor vention might be, he parted company with Mr. Teller, the senior Senator, who, it was well known, would leave the party. The Senators had no personal animosity, and, in fact, were then and are now the warmest friends, but Teller was proclaimed a hero and patriot, and Wolcott was villified and abused to such an extent that a movement was on foot to drive him from the Senate at attempt which can, of course, end only in the numiliation of those who conceived it. But in the face of personal calumny and the universal sentiment of his State against him, Mr. Wolcott began a campaign of straight Republicansm, ignoring the Chicago platform, and proclaiming that, while a devoted friend and advocate of the free coinage of silver, he did not desire to see it brought about at the expense of a

dishonored nation given over to a band of wildeyed revolutionists and cranks. side anything like an excuse for a collision. It lie represented to the people of Colorado that bimetallism could be had eventually through was over and the city had settled down to a the Republican party more surely than through the party of Bryanism and national dishener. night of quiet that the Republican managers campaign which he began, and of which he been the leading spirit, has checked the the Republican National Committee will give spread of the doctrines promulgated by the thinks McKinley will carry Nebraska some idea to the people of the East of the state Popocratic vote of Colorado, the home of the | many States by the Silver party,

free-silver idea, will be many thousands smaller FINAL ROARS OF BATTLE than the Popocrate think. The result will be surprise East and West.

The straightout Republican State Convention that met at Colorado Springs contained 700 delegates, and the first Republican rally in the same town was one of the largest political meetings ever held in Colorado. The mass meetings ince have been so great in numbers as to astonish the Republicans themselves, and at a meet ing in Denver a few nights ago, when Mr. We cott addressed 6,000 people, he was enthu siastically cheered for several minutes and the utmost enthusiasm prevailed. There is

no question about the vote of State going to Bryan or the Senatorship to Teller. The Republicans, under Wolcott's leadership, favor Teller's redicction. Their fight is not with him. It is with the teachings of the Chicago platform, and the vote of Colorado will furnish a very gratifying illustration of the change of sentiment caused by the won derful campaign of education and the leadership of men who are willing to accept the censure and abuse of the majority of their con stituents in order to maintain their dignity and honor while pleading for the honor of their

State and country. Senator Wolcott's patriotism was questioned in some quarters on account of his Venezuelan speech in the Senate, but in this remarkable campaign against the domestic enemies of the republic he has been tried and not found

vanting. In Missouri the situation is much the same a other Western and Southwestern States. This is a fertile soil for sowing the seeds of Bryanism, and the electoral vote of the State is not claimed by the sound-money cause, although bets were made in the Midland Hotel to-day that McKinley will carry the State. The commercial interests of Missouri are no less determined to stand up for national honor and credit than in States less afflicted with the free-silver craze. The sound-money organization is as thorough and complete here as it is in Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, and other neighboring States. A large ound-money vote will be polled, but the direct and tangible gains will be in the Congress districts. The importance of electing a soundmoney Congress is fully recognized in Missouri and the campaign managers are bending every effort to contribute to the sound-money roster in the next House. In the present Congress Missouri has four Democratic and eleven Republican members. It is confidently hoped that in the next Congress the Popograts will have no more than the Democrats have now, and the indications are that they will have a least one less.

LOOK OUT FOR TENNESSEE. Republicans Confident That They Will Carry the State Easily.

BNOXVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 28. - The managers of the Republican campaign in Tennessee are serenely confident of carrying the State for Mc Kinley, and feel sure that Tillman, for Gov ernor, will run 5,000 ahead of his ticket Final polls and careful estimates fix the strength of National Democrats at 23,000, of whom at least 16,000 will vote direct for Mc-Kinley. A careful poll of former Democratic railway employees, directed by a man nearer to them than any man in the State, discloses the fact that 4,800 will vote for McKinley The Popocratic managers are out of funds, tained from the Popocrats beyond predictions and over 15,000 Democratic poil taxes are yet unpaid, while the Republicans are in a pesition to cast 10,000 more votes in middle and west Tennessee than they did in '94, when they carried the State by paying poll taxes.

In the Tenth Congress district 8,000 Repub cans will vote where less than 2,000 voted in '04, through a combination with Josiah Patterson, gold Democrat, whose friends control the election machinery. This insures a fair count Pattersen cannot be reclected to Congress with out the Republicans. In Memphis 4,000 more Republicans registered this year than in '194, and in Nashville 2,000 more.

Trustworthy polls show that the thirty-four canties of east Tennessee will increase the Republican plurality from 30,000 to 38,000. Even when these figures are heavily discounted and added to Evans's vote in '94, they reach a magnitude the Populists cannot possibly hope to reach. Every wholesale mercanbanking, transportation, mining, manufacturing Interest in the State is solld for McKinley, and the Populists, on account of he treatment of Tom Watson, refuse to vote for Bryan and Sewall. On the basis of fig ures given by trustworthy committees, Pal mer will get from 4,000 to 7,000 votes, Watson's ticket from 14,000 to 17,000, Bryan from 120,000 to 128,000, McKinley from 130,000 to 138,000, and Prohibitionists 5,000.

STORMED BY "FARMER ORATORS." Buck Higrichsen Brings Five Hundred Spellbinders Into Chicago.

CHICAGO, Oct. 28,-"Buck" Hinrichsen lee over 100 country sliver orators into town yesterday. Two score and more came in on the train which brought the Chairman of the silver Democratic State Committee to Chicago, and the others reported at the State headquarters every few minutes during the day. To-day another batch of the "farmers," as the countymen are known, arrived, and Mr. Hinrich-sen said that before Friday night there will be nearly 500 spellbinders, who have been stumping the State under the direction of the State Committee, in Chicago, to help stampede the city for Bryan and Altgeld.

Every one of the farmer orators who came yesterday wore a slouch hat, and before they had fairly got the dust of travel out of their eyes they were sent to Chairman Greene of the County Speakers' Bureau, and he assigned over eighty of them to speak in all parts of the city iastnight. The farmers will speak with Bryan; they will address the overflow meetings; they will speak in isolated silver Democratic meetings wherever they are sent; they will become curbatone orators for the time being, and they vill travel around the city in carriages and speak wherever there is a chance of drawing a

The amusing part of all this proceeding is that all of the "farmers" brought here by Hinrichsen are Populists not a single Democrat in the crowd-and not one in ten ever handled a plough. They are politicians pure and simple.

EVERY BISHOP FOR M'KINLEY.

The Eighteen Methodist Lenders Take an Election Poll Among Themselves PITTSBURGH, Oct. 28.-The eighteen Bishops

of the Methodist Episcopal Church are in session in this city. A poll was taken during the day as to their political opinions. They all pronounced themselves in favor of McKinley and sound money, and expressed a desire to see him elected. Bishop Vincent said;

" Of course you know I am for McKinley and gold, and I hope they will win, but the result cannot well be foretold because of the quie voting that will be done on both sides. This makes it a very difficult and delicate task to proclaim in advance which candidate will be chosen, but I hope it is McKinley."

Bishop Cyrus D. Foss and Bishop John F. Hurst laughed and said: "You know how we al

stand; all for McKinley." The venerable Bishop Edward G. Andrews also declared emphatically for McKinley and said he hoped he would be elected. Bishop Bowman is inclined to think that Missouri, his home State, will fall in line for Mckinley and says His task was hopeless from the first, but the that hundreds of Democrats in St. Louis have espoused the sound-money cause and will be heard from at the election. Bishop McCabe Chicago platform to such an extent that the plores the intolerant spirit being exhibited in

TERRIFIC REPUBLICAN ONSLAUGHT ALL ALONG THE LINE.

7,309 Speakers Engaged in Twelve States Alone-Hanna Now Confident of Missourt -Quay Steals a March in North Carolina and Tennessee-In the " Doubtful" States Cureago, Oct. 28. - The battle in Missouri is

now engrossing the attention of national politicians. Hourly reports from St. Louis and Kansas City have been received all day at Republican National and Sound-money Democratic headquarters in Chicago. The five special trains, each with twenty

speech-making commercial travellers aboard and carrying toes of sound-money literature, started through Missouri this morning. After receiving the final reports to-night, Chairman Hanna said: We will carry the Legislature of Missouri, elect our candidate for Governor, and I verily believe we will capture the electoral vote of the

State for McKinley. The revolt against Bryan-ism among the Democrats of Missouri has reached larger proportions than anybody a few weeks ago looked for. "According to the State Committee of the National Democracy more than 50,000 Democrats in Missouri will vote against Bryan. It is

insisted that this estimate, which is given by counties, is the result of a careful investigation under the direction of the committee in every Congress district of the State, and the figures, therefore, may be relied upon to be approximately correct." Those familiar with the situation in Missouri say that this uprising in Missouri against Bryan in the party to which he claims to belong is significant. It means that the State is

going to range herself with the other great centres of intelligence and morality, and have a conspicuous place in the honest money column. Even if only half this number of the Democrats bolt the Chicago ticket Bryanism will be badly beaten in Missouri. All these conest-money Democrats will not vote directly for McKinley.

Some of them will cast their ballots for Paimer, but the proportion who intend to go all the way over to the Republican side for this campaign, and make their votes count double against Bryanism, is declared to be much larger than was expected, and this proportion is steadily on the increase.

For a long time the followers of Chauncey I. Filley and those of Richard C. Kerens have not mixed in Missouri. There were bickerings and strife. Now all this is changed. The Filley folks and the Kerens people are hustling, but it is the general opinon that the sound-money Democrats of Missourl are doing the greatest work. The main headquarters of the sound-money Democrats are in St. Louis, although in Kansas City there is a non-partisan sound money league 20,000 strong.

On Saturday these sound-money patriots are to have a parade in St. Louis with 75,000 men in line. The demonstration is assuming such stupendous proportions that its projectors are confident it will have a national significance. This sound-money movement is sweeping St.

Louis. Tens of thousands of yellow badges bearing the inscription, "I march for sound mone;" are worn on the streets. The State ablaze with sound-money enthusiasm. In all the citles sound-money noonday meetings are held. The sound-money clubs in the country districts are increasing in numbers day by day. It would not surprise any of the campaigners if Missouri plumped in its electoral vote for McKinley, and against Bryan and national dishonor.

It was pointed out here to-day by a well-known authority that the Popocrats are disturbed over the reports, which they try to deny, that the Republicans of North Carolina have stolen a march upon them and will carry the State. It seems that at the suggestion of Senator Quay it astresolved to concentrate energies upon one or o debatable States in the South and try to arry them by bringing out every Republican voter North Carolina and Tennessee were selected. Special energy was concentrated in the State first named, and the claim is made that 95 per cent, of the Republicans have been registered, and that on the surface the Republicans have a majority ver the combined Poporrat and Populist voters of from 15,000 to 17,000 votes they claim that at no time in history have the Republicans made such a magnificent showing, and that when the count is over the result will be the greatest surprise of the day.

The Popocrats confess to be in a condition of violent indignation over the employment of noney in North Carolina, but as a matter of fact the only indictment that can lie against the Republicans is that they outworked their opponents and went over the State to find every man who would vote their ticket and bring him

up to register. The Republican national campaigners and the sound-money Democratic campaigners filled Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Missouri, Nebrasks, and Kansas with speakers, who are to remain on the stump until midnight next Monday. The Republican leaders and the sound-money Democratic leaders of these States are too busy to come to Chicago in the closing days of the campaign. But wherever they may be they are in quick communication with National Headquarters in Chicago. The Republican leaders and the sound-money Demperatic leaders of these States have taken to the stump themselves. All this is done so that the defeat of Bryanism shall be appailing in its

completeness.

All factional differences among Republicans have been brushed aside in all the States. In Indiana ex-President Harrison, Gen. Lew Wallace, State Chairman C. W. Fairbanks, Riley McKean, John C. and Harry New, Rhody Shiel, and National Committeeman Durbin are all working as they never worked before.

In Illinois all the Republican ex-Governors, National Committeman Jamieson, and State Chairman Hitch are up in arms. In Iowa Senator William B. Allison, Gen. John B. Henderson, and ex-tioy. Jackson are directing the fight, and no Republican leader is out of joint.

The fight in Minnesota is pushed from sunrise to midnight under the direction of ex-tioy. Merriam, Senator Knute Nelson, ex-Senator Washburn, Charles A. Pillsbury, State Chairman T. Bixby, and John Goodnow, President of the Republican State League. In Wisconsin ex-Senator John C. Spooner and all hands are making the fur fly.

In Kansas there is a terrific battle in progress. Republican National Committeeman Cyrus Leland is conducting it. Ex-Senator John J. Ingalls and a dozen other candidates to succeed "Whiskers" Peffer are constantly on the atump.
In Nebraska and the Dakotas there is not one

let-up in the fight. It will not do to disregard the fight that is oing on in Texas. In the Lone Star State, as in all other States, the sound-money Democrats propose to make a record that will relieve the old party of the shame of the Chicago platform and candidate.

In Michigan the Republican organization, aided by the sound-money Democrats, is racing along to assured victory. There is no more nteresting fight, though, than that which is now being made on the Pacific coast. It has been the field for the Maine statesman. Congressmen Dingley and Boutelle have

poured in hot shot in California, Washington, and Oregon. Speaker Reed is doing masterful work in California. Most of the Maine statesmen will remain on the Pacific coast up to election morning. California and Oregon are regauged as sure for McKinley.

The Hon, William M. Hahn of Republican

National Headquarters, who is in charge of the speakers' bureau, got down his books to-night and said:

You want to know how many speakers are on the stump every day, do you? Well, here is the number of speakers who are speaking daily and nightly under the direction of the National,

State, and County Committees: Speakers, State. 2.000 1.200 Total17,300

This number is almost as large as the standing army of the United States. It will be observed that this vast number of speakers are all at work in States between the Allegheny and Rocky Mountains. The assignments of the speakers end on the night before election, and not an hour earlier. This campaign is to be fought to a finish.

"Everything is being conducted on the determination that Bryanism and repudiation must be smashed to atoms. The prodigious efforts that are now being made have for their chief incentive the election of a good working majority in the House of Representatives and the Senate with which to uphold McKinley and sound money."

BRING ALONG YOUR BRYAN MONEY. Mckinley Bettors to Raise To-day Their Already Big Offers of Odds.

Many men have been saying that they have several thousands of dollars of Bryan money to bet on the result of the election as soon as they can get odds to suit them. All these betting commissioners have placed the odds higher than any that have yet been offered where large bets were concerned. The prevailing odds have been 3 to 1 on McKinley. The commissioners who say they have Bryan money to bet have asked 4 or 5 to 1. If these men will take their money to the Fifth Avenue Hotel this evening it is probable that they will be accommodated.

The Popocratic managers have been jeering at the Republicans who, they say, are making ex-travagant claims, but are very chary of backing them with corresponding odds in betting. This has been accepted as a challenge, it is said. and it was declared last night by a prominent member of the party who has a lot of money to bet that several hundred thousands of dollars will be offered to-day at odds which ought to draw out the Bryan money if there is any. "It has been suggested," said he, "that the Republicans show their confidence in the claims of their National Committee, and they are going to do it."

A lone Popocrat with a \$50 bill strayed into Republican national headquarters yesterday, and said that he wanted to put up his money against \$150 of McKinley money. "He only had to visit one room," said a member of the committee: "he got what he wanted." Billy Edwards, being unable to draw out any

McClellan money at \$2,250 to \$3,000, offered \$3,000 even iast night on the election of Hess in the Twelfth Congress district. Billy has \$100 to bet against \$1,000 that McKinley does not get 100 electoral votes and \$1,000 even that Bryan will get 150. W. C. Neefus bet R. N. Casey \$200 even that New York city will give McKinley 40,000 ma-

jority and made a similar bet of \$600 with another man. F. B. Tilghman of the Stock Exchange bet for a customer \$1,000 to \$250 on Mc-Kinley's election. Mr. Tilghman's customer also bet \$4,000 to

\$1,000 and \$5,000 to \$1,250 on the same result. Mike Dorso of St. Paul was in Wall street yes-terday and offered to bet \$100,000 to \$50,000 that Minnesota would go for McKinley.

OVATION TO CARLISLE. Louisville Never Saw Such an Outpouring

as Greeted Illm Last Night. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 28 .- The reception given to Secretary Carlisle this evening surpassed any other political event that ever occurred in Kentucky. It demonstrated, too, what every one always knew heretofore, that the Democracy of the State is in the soundmoney wing. The Auditorium, where he spoke, will accommodate only 6,000 people. A thousand more bung around the doors and windows and five to ten thousand were turned away half

an hour before Mr. Carlisle came. A special effort was made to get out workingmen. The cheering which greeted the Secretary showed with what pride and affection he is regarded here in the Kentucky metropolis. Mr Carlisle's speech was entirely new. He dwelt plainly with the outrageous misrepresentations of the Populists, and did not hesitate to characterize them as ignorant of the commones maxims of political economy and the most faciliar incidents of our financial history. The

speech produced a splendid effect. There was no disorder during the whole speech. Mr. Carlisle closed with an appeal for the maintenance of the gold standard-the best in the world and the retirement of the greenbacks, which are at the root of all our troubles

"Let this be done," he said, " and prosperity will at once return." Col. John R. Fellows, who was occupying a

box, was called upon after Mr. Carlisle spoke, and made a few remarks in response to the hearty calls of the crowd.

GREAT RUSH FOR FLAGS. Mr. Hanna Was Applications for Pour Millions of Them. CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 28. - The campaign is rush

ing along in the last few days on lines which demonstrate that underneath it all the American people have a deep touch of sentiment. It is for the American flag. From the day that Chairman Hanna requested all to observe Oct. 31 as Flag Day there have poured in demands on the Republican National Committee for flags. The sending out of campaign literature has censed. Those in charge of the bureau are cleaning up odds and ends. The demands for the flags gave those in charge of this bureau new work. Up to to-night 1,500,000 American flags have been distributed.

We have had demands for four million flags," said Mr. Hanna, "and I only wish I could satisfy them all."

From one end of the land to the other the American flag will float from Oct. 31 to sundown on election day, and long after. All hands are now keenly watching for the last desperate efforts of the repudiators. They are sending out all sorts of canards and roorbacks. All have proved fruitless. More and just as vain efforts to stem the stupendous drift against Bryan will be sent out. The National campaigners are just as alert, and possibly more so, than ever before Every report and every foolish roorback sent out in the different States with intent to deceive the voters is quickly reported to headquarters here. Then they are jumped upon and aquelched.

MILLS GETTING READY TO START. Prospects of Mckinley's Election Making Times Lively in Connecticut.

STAMFORD, Conn., Oct. 28.- Within the past week the manufacturing industries here have received an impetus from the prospect of Mo-Kinley's election that is reassuring to the workingmen, and after next Tuesday the old-time hum of industry will probably be heard within the walls of many Connecticut factories which have either been partially or entirely closed for weeks. Almost all the large concerns have many orders on hand conditioned on the election of McKinley, and the managers are so con fident of his election that they are already

making preparations to start on them.

The large Branford brauch of the Yale and Towne Company of Stamford is now running on full time, after having been on a reduced schedule most of the summer. Other large factories will probably begin running on full time next

PRICE TWO CENTS.

FRIGHTEN EM, SAYS BRYAN. SCARE THE PEOPLE, THE BOY ORA.

TOR TOLD PREWEN. The English Himetallist Told Bryan That

the Organized Voters Were Against Him and That Was Bryan's Reply-Frewen Tries to Scare English Investors,

CHICAGO, Oct. 28. The Chicago newspapers printed this morning a despatch reading; London, Oct. 28.-The Times this morning prints a letter from Mr. Moreton Frewen, dated at Chicago, expressing confidence in Bryan's election.

Mr. Frewen is at the Auditorium Hotel. Tun SUN correspondent talked with him this after-" My letter to the Times was written two weeks

ago," Mr. Frewen said.

" Do you still hold to your opinion?" "Yes," replied Mr. Frewen. "Although I may be mistaken, and probably am. I am advising English investors in American securities as I see things."

"On whose information do you base your opinion of Bryan's election?" "I have talked with Senator Jones and Sena

tor Teller," rejoined Mr. Frewen. "Whom have you talked with on the other

"I do not care to say ?" replied Mr. Frewen. " Have you talked at all with the sound-money campaigners?" asked THE SUN man.

"I do not care to say," reiterated Mr. Frewen "What experience have you had, Mr. Frewen, in American Presidential campaigns?" "I came over in 1884 and in 1892 and studied those two campaigns," replied Mr. Frewen. He

continued: "You see, here are some notes of the letter I sent to the Times."

Mr. Frewen read part of the letter saying. You have from time to time permitted me to

write to you on economic subjects." Mr. Frewen continued: "You see, if English investors in American securities are prepared in advance for Bryan's election there will be no panic. I prefer to prepare these English investors rather than to have them wake up a week from to-day and find he is elected. If they are not prepared, and Bryan is elected, there would be infinite disaster to the English holders of American securities."

"Whom of the free-silver men besides Sen ator Jones and Senator Teller have you talked with ?"

"Gov. Altgeld," replied Mr. Frewen. "What parts of the country have you visited?"

" New York city and Chicago," replied Mr. Frewen, "and I have accompanied Senator Teller in some of his trips through Illinois." "Then you have only been in New York and Illinois, Mr. Frewen?" "Yes, that is all," replied Mr. Frewen, "but I

have news of Indiana and Michigan." "Who gave you the news of those two States?" "I prefer not to say," replied Mr. Frewen. 'I may be, and probably am very wrong in my conclusions as to Bryan's election, but still I believe I am right in preparing the English investors in American securities for his election. I saw Mr. Bryan this morning, and I told him that in my opinion he could not overcome the forces against him. The organization of the voters is against nim. Mr. Bryan replied; There is only one way to overcome that, and that is by awakening a national sentiment. The people must be frightened—that is the way to overthrow the gold standard?? "If you were a citizen of America, Mr. Frewen, would you vote for Mr. Bryan?" asked

"I would vote for free silver," replied Mr. "Would you vote for Mr. Bryan?" again Mr.

Frewen was asked.
"I am not prepared to say," said Mr. Frewen. "I know nothing about the other planks in the Chicago platform to which so much objection

has been raised." Mr. Frewen says that he cabled yesterday to Henry Hutch Gibbs, President of the London Bimetallic League: "Bryan's election probable. Write to the

Times to prepare English investors in American securities for the results that you believe will follow." "What does Mr. Gibbs believe would be

results of Mr. Bryan's election ?" "That it wouldn't hurt American securities

at all," replied Mr. Frewen. "Do you agree with Mr. Gibbs in that view ?" "I do." replied Mr. Frewen.

"But, Mr. Frewen, you just a moment ago said that your letter to the Times was to prepare English investors in these securities against a panic in case Bryan is elected, and that if they were not prepared infinite disaster would come

to them.' "Yes, I know," replied Mr. Frewen, "but Mr. Gibbs and I both believe that Bryan's election would not injure American securities. I know 99 out of every 100 business men in this country disagree with me, but still I differ from

"What do English investors in American seourities think about the matter?" "I do not know," said Mr. Frewen, "English investors are like a flock of sheep, easily stampeded one way or the other."

After investigation by THE SUN correspondent, It may be recorded as the absolute fact that Mr. Frewen since his arrival in this country from England, and especially since he reached Chicago, has talked and associated only with the Bryanites. All his information has been gathered from Senator Jones and Senator Teller. Gov. Altgeld does not unbosom himself to strangers. Mr. Frewen has associated only with the members of the Bryan bureau. He has not discussed the probabilities with the sound money advocates. He has received, as all others in the Bryan headquarters have received, the regulation reports put forth by County and State Chairmen. In well-regulated Presidential battles such reports are well nigh

worthless. Mr. Frewen has not visited the different States, as have the correspondents of the newspapers and investigated for themselves. He is not aware evidently that Senator Jones and Senator Teller are not endowed with the political acumen so necessary to appreciate the drift of political sentiment, and that they are inexperienced men in national campaigns. He was right, though, when he told liryan that the great organization of voters was opposed to him. Then Bryan replied: "We must overcome that

by frightening the people." HOUSE AND TWO LOTS TO BRYAN.

Novel Gift From a Man Who Is Property Poor in Lincoln, Neb. CHICAGO, Oct. 28.-W. M. Hoyt, head of the firm of W. M. Hoyt & Co., importers, manufacturers, and wholesale grocers, gave through the County Committee to-day direct to Mr. Bryan a house and two lots at Lincoln, Neb. He did this in lieu of a cash contribution to the campaign fund. Mr. Hoyt says:

"I am rich in real estate that cannot be sold, and poor in cash that is so hard to get. For this reason I donate that of which I am oversupplied. I have conveyed the property to Mr. Bryan's name, thinking that under the circumstances he could realize more cash for the party than if made to the Committee on Finance. The abstract herewith shows good title to me. The property will no doubt be worth more than it is if Mr. Bryan is elected and we are again to have prosperity. Otherwise, as now, it will ramain

manlable. Mr. Bryan, on being notified of the novel campaign contribution, expressed his appreciation of the spirit shown by Mr. Hoyt, and then turned the deed and abstract of title over to Chairman Jones, who will sell it and pur the proceeds in the Democratic campaign fund. The property is worth about \$18,000.